

SEC. 2. Agent to deliver over books, &c., immediately. That the territorial agent shall immediately after the taking effect of this law, deliver over to the territorial treasurer all books, papers, moneys and effects of whatsoever nature, belonging to, or in any wise appertaining to said office of territorial agent.

SEC. 3. Salary to treasurer for performing duties of agent, \$125—to be paid by territory. And be it further enacted, that the territorial treasurer, for the duties required under this act, shall receive the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars, as a compensation for his services: provided, that such annual compensation by this act allowed, shall be paid only from the territorial fund for the erection of public buildings at Iowa City, without any pledge of the general faith of the territory.

SEC. 4. Takes effect after passage. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, 29th May, 1845.

[25] CHAPTER 8.

PAYMENT OF EXPENSES OF CONVENTION.

AN ACT to provide for the payment of the expenses of the convention which assembled in Iowa City on the first Monday of October, A. D. 1844, to frame a constitution for the future state of Iowa.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa.

SECTION 1. Auditor to audit, and issue warrants for all just accounts of convention. That the auditor of public accounts be, and he is hereby authorized and required to audit, allow and issue warrants upon the treasury of this territory, for the payment of all just accounts that may be presented regularly certified by the president and secretary of the convention convened in Iowa City, on the first Monday of October, A. D. 1844, for the formation of a constitution for the future state of Iowa.

SEC. 2. Takes effect after passage. This act to take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, 3d June, 1845.

CHAPTER 9.

SUPREME COURT PRACTICE.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act defining the jurisdiction of the supreme court, and regulating the practice therein," approved 8th February, 1844.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa.

SECTION 1. No writ of error issued to order of district court pending trial, shall stay proceedings. That no writ of error issued to any order of the district court, wherein such order shall be made during the progress of any

trial at law or in equity, shall stay the proceedings therein to a final judgment or decree; and the district court shall proceed to render a final judgment or decree in the same manner as if such writ of error had not issued.

[26] **SEC. 2. Rights of plaintiff in error not injured by decree of district court.** The proceedings to final judgment or decree after a writ of error shall have issued upon any order of the district court, shall not prejudice the rights of the plaintiff in error; provided, there was error in the district court in making such order.

SEC. 3. Plaintiff in error to file bond to indemnify co-plaintiffs. That any one of two or more persons entitled to a writ of error, may sue out a writ of error as of course, in the name of the plaintiff in error; provided, such plaintiff in error shall have first filed a bond with the clerk of the district court, where the judgment or decree was rendered in such sum as the clerk shall require, with sufficient sureties to indemnify his co-plaintiff against all damages and costs on account of suing out such writ of error.

SEC. 4. Eighth section of an act amended, repealed. That the eighth section of the act to which this is amendatory is hereby repealed.

SEC. 5. Takes effect after passage. This act to take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, 3d June, 1845.

CHAPTER 10.

DESTRUCTION OF WOLVES.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled, "An act to encourage the destruction of wolves," approved January 7, 1844.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa.

SECTION 1. Discretionary with commissioners of Clayton, Mahaska, Keokuk, Davis, Wapello and Benton counties to pay bounty on wolf scalps. That from and after the passage of this act, it shall be discretionary with the boards of county commissioners of the counties of Clayton, Mahaska, Keokuk, Davis, Wapello and Benton, to pay any person for killing wolves in said counties.

SEC. 2. All acts conflicting with the above, repealed. That all acts and parts of acts that come in conflict with the provisions of this act, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. Takes effect after passage. That this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, 4th June, 1845.